



Large Fire Priority:

Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's

Date: 8/23/2017

Priority	ST	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	%	Expected Contain	Complexity/IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs	Threats
								Contained	Date		T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3		
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
1	NV	CCD	Lyons	Full Suppression	15 m E of Carson, NV	2,900	+2,150	5%	8/27/17	Type4 IC Elliott	0	0	0	0	0	4 crews, 1-T2 Helo.	Sage grouse habitat transmission line
2	WY	BTF	Pole Creek	Full Suppression	28 m SE of Afton, WY	2,940	+50	40%	9/9/17	Type 2 IMT DeMasters (w/Bollier)	1	3	1	2	1	None	Sage Grouse Habitat and private property
3	ID	TFD	Diamond A	Full Suppression	9 m SW of Murphy Hot Springs	2,000	New	0%	8/24/17	Type 4 IC Brizendine	0	0	0	0	0	Helo., Air attack, T1/T2 crews	Sage grouse habitat, range allotments
4	UT	SLD	Kelton	Full Suppression	14 m SE of Kelton Pass, UT	3,200	New	40%	8/25/17	Type 4 IC Barton	0	0	0	0	1	Engines and overhead	Structures way off to east.
5	UT	BRS	Shaw Springs	Full Suppression	13 m S of Kelton Pass, UT	2,500	New	31%	8/25/17	Type 4 IC Barton	0	0	0	0	0	Engines	Livestock & agricultural resouces
6	NV	EKD	Stag	Full Suppression	35 m NE of Elko, NV	800	New	10%	8/25/17	Type 4 IC Lesbo	0	0	0	0	0	T1/T2IA/T2 crews, T3 Helo, SEATs	Sage grouse habitat
7	NV	CCD	Micro	Full Suppression	4 m S of Stagecoach, NV	1,100	New	50%	8/24/17	Type 3 IC Strange	0	1	0	0	0	None	None
8	NV	CCD	Two Dens	Full Suppression	5 m E of Eastgate, NV	574	New	75%	8/24/17	Type 3 IC Britt	0	2	0	0	1	None	Sage grouse habitat, wilderness
9	ID	TFD	Grassy Hills	Full Suppression	9 m N of Three Creek	1,100	New	0%	8/24/17	Type 3 IC Anthony	0	0	0	0	0	Ground & air resources	Sage grouse habitat, range allotments
10	ID	STF	Lady Face	Full Suppression	2 m N of Stanley, ID	20	New	30%	8/24/17	Type 3 IC Stewart	1	1	1	0	0	None	Campgrounds
11	ID	PAF	Highline	90% Monitor 10% Pt. Zone Protection	4 m N of Chamberlain Basin, ID	24,334	+2,848	0%	10/15/17	NIMO Team Reinarz	1	1	0	0	1	None	Historic structures, residences, cabins, outbuildings
12	ID	SCF	Ibex	95% Monitor 5% Pt. Zone Protection	21 nm W of Challis, ID	7,800	+1,644	0%	10/30/17	Type 3 IC Bartel	0	2	1	0	0	None	Archaeological sites



*** Notes of Significance ***
 Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a final ICS-209

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Evening Brief

Date: Wednesday August 23, 2017

Weather Summary

Thousands of lightning strikes occurred across the Great Basin in the past 24 hrs

High Risk for Strong Winds/Drier Air Idaho Thursday

Thousands of lightning strikes have occurred across the Great Basin over the past 24 hours, across a very large area, encompassing nearly the entire region. The heaviest concentration was along the Idaho border with NV/UT. Many of these storms were wet, but the large volume and areal coverage of the lightning has resulted in a significant increase in initial attack and new large fires.

An additional concern will now be gusty winds moving into northern areas after the lightning. Even though temperatures will be cooler behind the cold front Thursday/ Friday, humidity will be lower and W-NW winds of 15-30 mph are possible. **High Risk for Gusty Winds/Drier Air** has been issued for Idaho into Wyoming Thursday. Gusty winds may also continue on Friday, but should decrease slightly in speeds. A few upper level disturbances may also continue the isolated lightning threat in ID/WY through Thursday/Friday.

Otherwise, drier weather will move into much of Nevada, the AZ Strip and Utah Thursday through the weekend. Only a few isolated storms may pop up at times over eastern Utah.

Strong high pressure builds in across the Western Great Basin, with near record heat this weekend, spreading eastward next week across most of the Great Basin.

Preparedness Levels

Great Basin	3
National	5

Great Basin Fire Activity (from Irwin): High Activity

New Fires and Acres: 50 fires for 12,914.25 acres; 6,692 acres large fire growth; 10 new large fires

Resources:

- Crews: 8 T1 IHCs in GB: 6 Committed, 1 Available, 1 Day Off.
 - GBCC has committed an estimated 43+ Type 3, 4, 6 engines.
 - 2-T1 and 7-T2 helicopters are available in GACC.
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Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Fuels across much of the area slowly dried and recovered recently from the monsoonal moisture earlier in the summer, with fire danger values at or below normal for the time of year, with the exception for parts of Idaho where above normal fuel dryness poses the biggest concern. **The**

mountains of Central Idaho will be the most likely area for new large fires later this week with both the lightning and winds. A brief increase in moisture will help to keep fire potential moderated across the south and east through the period, with only a brief reprieve over the rest of the Great Basin due to moisture this week.

Prolonged drier and much warmer weather will return to the Great Basin this weekend through next week rapidly drying fuels again, and resulting in holdovers in areas that received recent lightning.

We continue to have a Great Basin Fuels and Fire Behavior Advisory in effect for Nevada, Idaho and Utah, available at the following link:

https://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/fuels_fire-danger/GB_Fuels_and_Fire_Behavior_Advisory.pdf

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Yahoo Corral *	2017-IDSIS-000213	0.10	Controlled 08/23/17	44.94189	116.1122	NO
Terrace *	2017-UTFIF-017475	0.30	Not Contained	38.78294	112.3729	NO
Little Table *	2017-UTFIF-017474	0.10	Not Contained	38.40104	112.1221	NO
Crystal Peak *	2017-NVHTF-030614	0.10	Contained 08/23/17	39.53044	120.041	NO
Almost *	2017-NVCCD-030612	0.10	Not Contained	39.63015	119.5954	YES
Lone Butte *	2017-NVEKD-010390	0.10	Out 08/22/17	40.63508	115.0343	YES
Fuller *	2017-NVHTF-030607	0.10	Not Contained	39.49261	119.9004	NO
Grassy Knob *	2017-UTMLF-007335	0.10	Not Contained	39.51107	111.2203	YES
Water Canyon *	2017-UTSWS-000639	0.10	Not Contained	37.84668	112.7605	NO
CEDARVIEW CANAL	2017-UTUOA-100325	0.30	Not Contained	40.50724	110.0536	YES
Shaw Springs	2017-UTBRS-000888	2500.00	Not Contained	41.79823	113.1647	YES
Tower	2017-IDFHA-000208	3.00	Not Contained	42.74574	112.6873	NO
Kelton	2017-UTSLD-000886	3200.00	Not Contained	41.8048	113.08792	YES
Provo Canyon	2017-UTNWS-000885	2.00	Contained 08/23/17	40.35523	111.5796	NO
Sulpher	2017-NVBMD-020280	15.00	Not Contained	40.05867	116.1549	YES
John Evans	2017-ID1ON-000204	6.00	Contained 08/23/17	42.22546	112.3863	YES
SPRING	2017-IDBOD-000770	0.50	Not Contained	42.22108	116.9032	YES
Garn	2017-UTBRS-000882	10.00	Controlled 08/24/17	41.95468	112.3796	YES
Border	2017-ID1ON-000201	47.00	Contained 08/23/17	42.00328	112.3635	YES
Lemhi County Assist 2	2017-IDLEX-017220	1.00	Not Contained	45.18504	113.7978	YES
Mogul	2017-NVTMF-030621	100.00	Not Contained	39.5165	119.9143	NO
Diamond A	2017-IDTFD-000351	2000.00	Not Contained	41.97857	115.5372	YES
MILE MARKER 6	2017-NVLAP-170456	0.10	Out 08/23/17	35.9651	114.671	NO
Browns	2017-NVELD-040199	0.10	Not Contained	38.30968	114.5007	YES
SPRING BUTTE	2017-IDBOD-000769	7.00	Not Contained	42.23849	116.9235	YES
MM97 I15	2017-UTSWS-000645	2.00	Controlled 08/23/17	38.109	112.6479	YES
Hurd	2017-UTBRS-000879	90.00	Not Contained	41.961	112.6938	YES
Cottonwood	2017-NVTMF-030620	0.10	Controlled 08/23/17	39.52063	119.965	NO
Thief Creek	2017-UTNES-200878	0.10	Controlled 08/23/17	41.04519	111.09	YES
Indian Mountain	2017-UTNWS-000877	54.00	Not Contained	40.3963	112.4282	YES
Six Mile	2017-IDTFD-000349	36.00	Controlled 08/23/17	42.13373	113.2332	YES
Deep	2017-NVHTF-030619	0.30	Not Contained	38.75897	119.8727	NO
Cove Hollow	2017-UTDIF-000644	0.10	Controlled 08/23/17	37.621	113.5403	NO
Willow	2017-NVCCD-030618	2.50	Not Contained	39.33857	117.7998	YES
Whitepine	2017-UTUWF-000876	0.10	Not Contained	40.54817	111.676	NO
Wolf Creek	2017-UTBRS-000875	0.10	Out 08/23/17	41.2	111.49	YES
Oscar	2017-UTFIF-017477	0.10	Not Contained	38.56294	112.03	NO
Jebediah Mountain	2017-UTSLD-000873	33.00	Controlled 08/23/17	40.98074	112.8665	NO
Potato	2017-AZASD-000643	0.50	Not Contained	36.41447	113.195	NO
Big Baldy	2017-UTSCS-017480	0.10	Out 08/23/17	39.37915	111.7565	NO
ELEPHANT	2017-IDBOD-000773	0.10	Not Contained	43.46621	116.868	YES
Yago Creek	2017-ID1BN-000203	0.10	Not Contained	42.49431	112.0654	NO
GREEN	2017-NVSND-170457	0.10	Contained 08/23/17	36.02061	115.6775	NO
Ida May	2017-NVELD-040201	0.10	Not Contained	38.1275	114.57888	YES
WASH	2017-IDBOF-000775	0.30	Not Contained	44.01972	115.9527	NO
Grassy Hills	2017-IDTFD-000356	1100.00	Not Contained	42.18639	115.1093	YES
Egan Basin	2017-NVELD-040200	0.10	Not Contained	39.80317	115.01708	YES
Stag	2017-NVNNS-010403	35.00	Not Contained	41.70617	115.81617	YES
Midnight	2017-IDCTF-000206	0.10	Contained 08/23/17	42.26383	111.5496	NO
Goose #2	2017-NVEKD-010402	0.10	Not Contained	41.94838	114.0558	YES
Goose #1	2017-NVEKD-010401	0.10	Not Contained	41.97742	114.0825	YES

* fires occurred previous night, not previously reported

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](http://www.greatbasincoordinationcenter.org)